

Sampled taxa

Sphenodontian phylogeny and the Impact of Model Choice and Clock Partitioning in Bayesian Morphological Clock Estimates of Divergence Times and Evolutionary Rates

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Outgroup

Prolacerta broomi Parrington, 1935

Age. Induan-Olenekian, Early Triassic (Smith *et al.* 2012).

Horizon/Locality. *Lystrosaurus* zone, Beaufort Group, Karoo Supergroup—Harrismith District (Free State Province), Hueningkrans (Burgersdorp District, Eastern Cape Province), Fairydale and Tweefontein (Bethulie District, Free State Province), Rietport (Dewetsdorp District, Free State Province), Big Bank, Queen’s Hill and Old Brickfield’s Donga (Harrismith District, Free State Province), Barendskraal (Middleburg District, Eastern Cape Province) South Africa [(Gow 1974; Modesto & Sues 2004) and individual specimen labels]; possibly from Fremow Formation—Transantarctic Mountains, Antarctica (Colbert 1987).

Holotype. UMZC 2003.40 (high resolution pictures provided by F. Costa)

Observed referred materials. BPI/1/471, BPI/1/2675, BPI/1/2676, BPI/1/4504a & b, BP/1/5066, BPI/1/5375, BPI/1/5880

Main bibliography. Parrington (1935); Huene (1944); Camp (1945); Broom & Robinson (1948); Young (1948); Robinson (1967); Kuhn (1969); Wild (1973); Kuhn-Schnyder (1974); Gow (1974); Wild (1980); Evans (1984); Evans (1986); Colbert (1987); Modesto & Sues (2004); Müller (2004); Botha-Brink & Smith (2011).

Remarks. We follow here the designation of *Pricea longipes* Broom & Robinson, 1948 as a junior synonym of *Prolacerta broomi* (Gow 1974; Modesto & Sues 2004).

Early lepidosauromorphs

Palaegama vielhaueri Broom, 1926

Age. Middle Lopingian, Late Permian-middle Olenekian, Early Triassic (Smith *et al.* 2012).

Horizon/Locality. Top of *Daptocephalus* zone [= late *Cistecephalus* and *Dicynodon* Zones], or *Lystrosaurus* Zone, Beaufort Group, Karoo Supergroup—Kinira, Mount Frere District, Eastern Cape Province, South Africa (Broom 1926; Carroll 1975).

Holotype. MGM 3707 (observed).

Main bibliography. Broom (1926); Haughton (1929); Kuhn (1969); Carroll (1975); Carroll (1977); Estes (1983); Evans (1984); Carroll (1988); Carroll & Currie (1991).

Remarks. The identification of the squamosal and quadrate by Carroll (1975) are dubious, and thus considered to be only tentative. Additionally, the suture between the lacrimal and prefrontal

is difficult to distinguish and could be merely a crack. Nevertheless, the shape of the postfrontal, postorbital and jugal are considered to be just as provided by Carroll (1975).

Sophineta cracoviensis Evans & Borsuk-Białynicka, 2009

Age. Early late Olenekian, Early Triassic (Shishkin & Sulej 2009),

Horizon/Locality. Czatkowice 1 Quarry, Kraków Region, Poland (Evans & Borsuk-Białynicka 2009).

Holotype. ZPAL RV/175 (observed)

Observed referred materials. ZPAL RV/10, ZPAL RV/13, ZPAL RV/226, ZPAL RV/227, ZPAL RV/228, ZPAL RV/232, ZPAL RV/233, ZPAL RV/234, ZPAL RV/431, ZPAL RV/236, ZPAL RV/246-247, ZPAL RV/248-249, ZPAL RV/506, ZPAL RV/746, ZPAL RV/747, ZPAL RV/748, ZPAL RV/749, ZPAL RV/974, ZPAL RV/1053, ZPAL RV/1054, ZPAL RV/1061, ZPAL RV/1089, ZPAL RV/1094, ZPAL RV/1101, ZPAL RV/1142, ZPAL RV/1145, ZPAL, ZPAL RV/1584, ZPAL RV/1121.

Main bibliography. Evans & Borsuk-Białynicka (2009)

Remarks. The remains of this taxon are composed of isolated bones only. Upon personal observation, it could be detected that most of the skull elements fit into each other, thus demonstrating an anatomical connectivity between the referred specimens. The dental morphology also matches between the lower and upper jaws. However, the absence of anatomical connections between the preserved skull elements and the postcranium make the attribution of the postcranial material previously assigned to *S. cracoviensis* only tentative. For this reason, we chose to be conservative and only include data from the skull remains of this taxon.

Squamata

Megachirella wachtleri Renesto & Posenato, 2003

Age. Pelsonian, Anisian, Middle Triassic (Renesto & Bernardi 2014)

Horizon/Locality. Dont Formation, Braies Group—Monte Prà della Vacca, Braies/Prags Dolomites, Bolzano, Italy (Renesto & Posenato 2003).

Holotype. PZO628 (observed)

Main bibliography. Renesto & Posenato (2003); Renesto & Bernardi (2014), Simões *et al.* (2018).

Marmoretta oxoniensis Evans, 1991

Age. Late Bathonian, Middle Jurassic to Kimmeridgian, Late Jurassic (Evans & Kermack 1994)

Horizon/Locality. Kirtlington Mammal Bed, near the base of Forest Mable Formation (late Bathonian)—Old Cement Works Quarry, Kirtlington, Oxfordshire, United Kingdom; Kilmaluag Formation (Bathonian)—north side of Glen Scaladel (Cladach a'Ghlinne), Isle of Skye, Scotland, United Kingdom; Guimarota lignite mine, Leira, Portugal (Kimmeridgian) (Evans 1991; Evans & Kermack 1994; Waldman & Evans 1994).

Holotype. NHMUK R.12020.

Paratypes. NHMUK R.12025, NHMUK R.12026, NHMUK R.12027, NHMUK R.12028.

Observed referred materials. NHMUK 12400-12406, NMS G 1992.47.1, NMS G 1992.47.4, NMS G 1992.47.5.

Main bibliography. Evans (1991); Evans & Milner (1994); Waldman & Evans (1994); Benton & Spencer (1995); Evans & Waldman (1996).

Remarks. Semi-articulated and associated cranial and postcranial remains of *Marmoretta* from the Bathonian of the Isle of Skye, Scotland, have been used as means of anatomical comparison and attribution of some isolated remains to this taxon.

Huehuecuetzpalli mixtecus Reynoso, 1998

Age. Late Albian, Early Cretaceous (Benammi *et al.* 2006).

Horizon/Locality. Middle portion of the Tlayúa Formation—south of Tepexi de Rodríguez, State of Puebla, Mexico (Reynoso & Cruz 2014a).

Holotype. IGM 7389 (observed).

Paratype. IGM 4185.

Main bibliography. Reynoso (1998); Reynoso & Cruz (2014a).

Remarks. Personal observation of the holotype and paratype indicate a few differences to the description provided by Reynoso (1998). Among these, vertebrae on the pelvic region of the holotype are somewhat disarticulated and the anteriormost portion of their neural arches exposed with no clear indication of a zygosphene-zygantra system. On the skull, the left side of the parietal includes an elongate supratemporal process contacting the left squamosal, which is slightly displaced anteriorly. Between the squamosal and the supratemporal process of the parietal, a third distinct element is present, sutured to the parietal and elongate in shape. This corresponds to the supratemporal, which also occupies this same position and has this same overall shape in most squamates bearing those three elements. The supratemporal is less distinct on right side of the skull, but under UV light a partial suture is observed between it and the parietal. This suggests a partial fusion of the right element took place. Additionally, the presence of dorsal intercentra could not be confirmed. The holotype is preserved in dorsal view, preventing an assessment of the later condition, whereas the paratype shows the posterior dorsals in lateral view. Reynoso (1998) mentioned the presence of intercentra in the last presacrals (an inference that might have been made based on the paratype), but no clear structures between the dorsal centra could be established as intercentra. Therefore, this particular feature is treated herein as missing data

Eichstaettisaurus schroederi (Broili, 1938)

Age. Latest Kimmeridgian-early Tithonian, Late Jurassic (Schweigert 2007).

Horizon/Locality. Solnhofen Plattenkalk—Wintershof (near Eichstätt), Bavaria, Germany (Broili 1938).

Holotype. BSPG 1937 I 1 (observed)

Main bibliography. Broili (1938); Young (1948); Hoffstetter (1953); Kuhn (1958); Cocude-Michel (1961); Cocude-Michel (1963b); Hoffstetter (1964); Hoffstetter (1966); Estes (1983);

Evans (1993); Rieppel (1994); Evans *et al.* (2000); Evans *et al.* (2004); Daza *et al.* (2014); Simões *et al.* (2017).

Remarks. For a detailed recent account on the taxonomy, systematics, and re-assessment of the osteology of *E. schroederi* see Simões *et al.* (2017).

Ardeosaurus brevipes (Meyer, 1855)

Age. Latest Kimmeridgian-early Tithonian, Late Jurassic (Schweigert 2007).

Horizon/Locality. Solnhofen Plattenkalk—Eichstätt, Bavaria, Germany (Mateer 1982).

Holotype. Collection Hetzell, now lost (Mateer 1982; Estes 1983). Cast of holotype: NHMUK 38006 (observed).

Observed referred materials. BSPG 1923. I. 501.

Main bibliography. Meyer (1855); Meyer (1860); Zittel (1887); Nopcsa (1908); Camp (1923); Broili (1925); Hoffstetter (1953); Hoffstetter (1955b); Cocude-Michel (1963b); Hoffstetter (1964); Hoffstetter (1966); Estes (1983); Evans (1993); Rieppel (1994); Simões *et al.* (2017); Tałanda (2018).

Remarks. After the loss of the holotype of *A. brevipes*, a new specimen (PMU.R58) was discovered and described by Mateer (1982). However, PMU.R58 is currently lost as well (B. Kear, personal communication). Another specimen, previously assigned as *Ardeosaurus* cf. *digitatellus* (BSPG 1923. I. 501), displays several features that allow its assignment to *A. brevipes*. These include: impressions of skull roof osteoderms, a wider posterior margin of the parietals between the supratemporal processes (compared to the holotype of *A. digitatellus*), separate postorbital and posfrontal, and only three phalanges on the fifth pedal digit. Although preserved mostly as impressions, the level of detail preserved in the soft matrix allows the identification of individual bones and sutures, which highly contribute to increase the amount of information to be scored for this taxon in the present dataset.

Rhynchocephalia

Gephyrosaurus bridensis Evans, 1980

Age. Haettagian or Sinemurian, Lower Jurassic (Evans & Kermack 1994; Evans & Jones 2010; Whiteside *et al.* 2016).

Horizon/Locality. Pontalun and Pant quarries, and St. Bride's Island, South Glamorgan, Wales, United Kingdom (Evans 1980; Evans & Kermack 1994).

Holotype. NHMUK T.1503 (observed)

Observed referred materials. NHMUK T.722, NHMUK T.748, NHMUK T.752, NHMUK T.753, NHMUK T.755, NHMUK T.766, NHMUK T.769, NHMUK T.772, NHMUK T.782, NHMUK T.791, NHMUK T.856, NHMUK T.860, NHMUK T.865, NHMUK T.901, NHMUK T.907-910, NHMUK T.913-917, NHMUK T.937, NHMUK T.938, NHMUK T.940, NHMUK T.945-948, NHMUK T.950, NHMUK T.955-959, NHMUK T.1001, NHMUK T.1015, NHMUK T.1055, NHMUK T.1177, NHMUK T.1238-1264, NHMUK T.1428, NHMUK T.1450,

NHMUK T.1454, NHMUK T.1481, NHMUK T.1509, NHMUK T.1512, NHMUK T.1515, NHMUK T.1522, NHMUK T.1528, NHMUK T.1543, NHMUK T.1553, NHMUK T.1554, NHMUK T.1618, NHMUK T.1633, NHMUK T.1693, NHMUK T.1751, NHMUK T.1814, NHMUK T.1815, NHMUK T.1818-1833, NHMUK T.1845, NHMUK T.1847, NHMUK T.1849, NHMUK T.1853, NHMUK T.1855, NHMUK T.1863-1866, NHMUK T.1874, NHMUK T.1875, NHMUK T.1880, NHMUK T.1881, NHMUK T.1942, NHMUK T.1951, NHMUK T.1993, NHMUK T.1994, NHMUK T.2044, NHMUK T.2046, NHMUK T.2047, NHMUK T.2054, NHMUK T.2055, NHMUK T.2065, NHMUK T.2066, NHMUK T.2070, NHMUK T.2086, NHMUK T.2093, NHMUK T.2098, NHMUK T.2111, NHMUK T.2135, NHMUK T.2143, NHMUK T.2154, NHMUK T.2175, NHMUK T.2196, NHMUK T.2216, NHMUK T.2225, NHMUK T.2227, NHMUK T.2231, NHMUK T.2301, NHMUK T.2311, NHMUK T.2313, NHMUK T.2319, NHMUK T.2320, NHMUK T.2323, NHMUK T.2325, NHMUK T.2335, NHMUK T.2336, NHMUK T.2337, NHMUK T.2346-2352, NHMUK T.2357-2361, NHMUK T.232, NHMUK T.2639-2642, NHMUK T.3017-3022, NHMUK T.3113-3117, NHMUK T.3223

Main bibliography. Evans (1980); Evans (1981); Estes (1983); Evans (1984); Benton (1985); Evans (1985); Fraser & Benton (1989); Evans & Kermack (1994); Borsuk-Białynicka (1996); Wu (2003); Jones (2008); Evans & Jones (2010); Simões *et al.* (2016 [Suppl. Mat.]).

Remarks. See comments for the Late Triassic-Early Jurassic British faunas in the taxonomic sampling criteria above.

Diphydontosaurus avonis Whiteside, 1986

Age. Rhaetian, Late Triassic (Fraser 1994; Evans & Jones 2010).

Horizon/Locality. Tytherington and Cromhall quarries, South Gloucestershire, United Kingdom (Whiteside 1986).

Holotype. BU 23760 (observed).

Paratypes. BU 23763, BU 23764, BU 23842, BU 23787, BU 23789, BU 23785, BU 23781, BU 23790, BU 23780, BU 23782, BU 23783, BU 23784, BU 23772, 23776, BU 23768 BU 23774, BU 23986, BU 23778, BU 23777, BU 23761, BU 23762 (all observed).

Main bibliography. Whiteside (1986); Fraser & Benton (1989); Evans & Kermack (1994); Fraser (1994); Borsuk-Białynicka (1996); Wu (2003); Jones (2008); Evans & Jones (2010); Simões *et al.* (2016 [Suppl. Mat.]).

Remarks. The published and available remains of this taxon are composed of isolated bones only. Upon personal observation, it could be detected that most of the skull elements fit into each other, thus demonstrating an anatomical connectivity between the referred specimens. The dental morphology also matches between the lower and upper jaws. However, the absence of anatomical connections between the preserved skull elements and the postcranium make the attribution of the postcranial material previously assigned to *D. avonis* only tentative. For this reason, we chose to be conservative and only include data from the skull remains of this taxon. We note that unpublished articulated specimens of *Diphydontosaurus* were observed by us at the

NHMUK, but they were not available for study as they are currently being scribed elsewhere (Marc Jones, pers. com.).

Planocephalosaurus robinsonae Fraser, 1982

Age. Rhaetian, Late Triassic (Fraser 1994; Evans & Jones 2010).

Horizon/Locality. Cromhall (old Slickstones) and Tytherington quarries, South Gloucestershire, United Kingdom (Fraser 1982; Evans & Kermack 1994).

Holotype. AUP 11061 (observed).

Observed referred materials AUP 11062-AUP 11081, AUP 11170-AUP 11185, NHMUK R9953-NHMUK R9976.

Main bibliography. Fraser (1982); Fraser & Walkden (1984); Fraser & Benton (1989); Evans & Kermack (1994); Fraser (1994); Wu (2003); Jones (2008); Evans & Jones (2010); Simões *et al.* (2016 [Suppl. Mat.]).

Remarks. The remains of this taxon are composed of isolated bones only. Upon personal observation, it could be detected that most of the skull elements fit into each other, thus demonstrating an anatomical connectivity between the referred specimens. The dental morphology also matches between the lower and upper jaws. However, the absence of anatomical connections between the preserved skull elements and the postcranium make the attribution of the postcranial material previously assigned to *P. robinsonae* only tentative. For this reason, we chose to be conservative and only include data from the skull remains of this taxon.

Clevosaurus hudsoni (Swinton, 1939)

Age. Carnian-Rhaetian, Late Triassic (Fraser 1994; Evans & Jones 2010).

Horizon/Locality. Cromhall (old Slickstones) Quarry, South Gloucestershire, United Kingdom (Fraser 1988); same genus (possibly the same species) from Tytherington, Emborough, and Pant quarries, southwest England and Wales, United Kingdom (Fraser 1988; Evans & Kermack 1994).

Holotype. NHMUK R5939 (syntypes).

Observed referred materials. NHMUK R604, NHMUK R605 (a,b,c), NHMUK R9249, UMZC T1264, UMZC T1265, UMZC T1266, UMZC T1267, UMZC T1268, UMZC T1269, UMZC T1270, UMZC T1271, UMCZ T 1272, UMCZ T 1273, UMCZ T 1274, UMCZ T 1275, UMCZ T 1276, UMCZ T 1277, UMCZ T 1279.

Main bibliography. Swinton (1939); Robinson (1973); Fraser (1988); Fraser & Benton (1989); Evans & Kermack (1994); Fraser (1994); Wu (2003); Jones (2008); Evans & Jones (2010); Simões *et al.* (2016 [Suppl. Mat.]).

Remarks. The articulated material that includes cranium and postcranium (UMZC T1271) as well as the articulated skulls (NHMUK R604, NHMUK R605, and UMZC T1269) was used as the main basis of comparison to establish which of the isolated bones can be confidentially associated to *Clevosaurus hudsoni*. See also comments for the Late Triassic-Early Jurassic British faunas in the taxonomic sampling criteria above.

Clevosaurus cambrica Keeble et al., 2018

Age. Rhaetian, Late Triassic (Keeble *et al.* 2018).

Horizon/Locality. Pant-y-ffynnon Quarry, near Bonvilston, Vale of Glamorgan, Wales, UK.

Holotype. NHMUK R5939 (syntypes).

Main bibliography. Keeble *et al.* (2018); Chambi-Trowell *et al.* (2019).

Remarks: Data scored from CT-scan data in Keeble *et al.* (2018) and Chambi-Trowell *et al.* (2019).

Clevosaurus brasiliensis Bonaparte and Sues, 2006

Age. Late Norian-Rhaetian, Late Triassic (Hsiou *et al.* 2015)

Horizon/Locality. Caturrita Formation—Linha São Luiz locality, Faxinal do Soturno Municipality, State of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil (Hsiou *et al.* 2015).

Holotype. UFRGS-PV 0748 T (observed).

Main bibliography. Bonaparte & Sues (2006); Arantes *et al.* (2009); Hsiou *et al.* (2015); Romo-de-Vivar-Martínez & Soares (2015); Romo-de-Vivar-Martínez *et al.* (2017).

Clevosaurus bairdi Sues et al., 1994

Age. Hettangian, Early Jurassic (Sues *et al.* 1994).

Horizon/Locality. McCoy Brook Formation, Fundy Group—Wasson Bluff, near Parrsboro, Cumberland County, Nova Scotia, Canada (Sues *et al.* 1994).

Holotype. NSM 988GFl.1

Observed referred materials. MCZ 9105; MCZ 9106; MCZ 9110; MCZ 9112; MCZ 9113; MCZ 9114.

Main bibliography. Sues *et al.* (1994).

Clevosaurus petilus (Wu, 1994)

Age. Hettangian?, Early Jurassic (Wu 1994; Jones 2006).

Horizon/Locality. Dull Purplish Beds, Lufeng Formation —Yunnan Province, China (Wu 1994; Jones 2006).

Holotype. IVPP V-4007 (observed)

Observed referred materials. IVPP V-8272 (previous holotype of *C. mcgilli*), IVPP V-8273, IVPP V-8272 (previous holotype of *C. wangi*).

Main bibliography. Young (1982); Wu (1994); Sues *et al.* (1994); Jones (2006).

Remarks. Initially described by Young and published as *Dianosaurus petilus*, later redescribed and reclassified by Wu (1994) in the genus *Clevosaurus*. However, we agree with the interpretation of lack of diagnostic features to separate *C. wangi*, *C. mcgilli* and *C. petilus* (Sues *et al.* 1994; Jones 2006), and thus we follow Sues *et al.* (1994) and Hsiou *et al.* (2019) in considering all three Chinese clevosaurus as a single OTU.

Clevosaurus sp. **SAM**

Age. Hettangian-Pliensbachian, Early Jurassic (Olsen & Galton 1984; Sues & Reisz 1995)

Horizon/Locality. Elliot or Clarens Formation, Stormberg Group—locality unknown (Sues & Reisz 1995).

Observed referred materials. SAM K7890.

Main bibliography. Sues & Reisz (1995).

Clevosaurus convalis

Age. Haettagian or Sinemurian, Lower Jurassic (Evans & Kermack 1994; Evans & Jones 2010; Whiteside *et al.* 2016).

Horizon/Locality. Pant quarry, South Glamorgan, Wales, United Kingdom (Säilä 2005)

Holotype. NHMUK R7530.

Main bibliography. Säilä (2005)

Homeosaurus maximiliani Meyer, 1847

Age. Latest Kimmeridgian-early Tithonian, Late Jurassic (Schweigert 2007)

Horizon/Locality. Solnhofen Plattenkalk—Kelheim and Wintershof, Bavaria, Germany [specimen identification labels and Cocude-Michel (1963a)].

Holotype. lost in 1944 in Munich—see Cocude-Michel (1963a).

Neotype: BSPG 1887 VI 502 (observed).

Observed referred materials. BSPG 1937-1-40.

Main bibliography. Meyer (1847); Wagner (1852); Meyer (1860); Meyer (1866); Boulenger (1891); Broili (1925); Barbour & Stetson (1929); Cocude-Michel (1963a); Kuhn (1969).

Remarks. The genus *Homeosaurus* is in need of revision, therefore only the neotype of *H. maximiliani* and another specimen housed at the BSPG collection (BSPG 1937-1-40.) that could be attributed to the same species are included herein as *H. maximiliani*. Cocude-Michel (1963a) also listed BSPG 1937-1-40 among the referred specimens of *H. maximiliani*. A revision and re-characterization of the genus might reveal additional specimens of *H. maximiliani* that were not studied herein. The localities provided herein are the ones where the specimens referred above come from.

Homeosaurus parvipes Cocude-Michel, 1963

Age. Latest Kimmeridgian-early Tithonian, Late Jurassic (Schweigert 2007).

Horizon/Locality. Solnhofen Plattenkalk—exact locality unknown, Bavaria, Germany (Cocude-Michel 1963a).

Holotype. MB.R.1007 (previously Berlin Rhy 1)

Main bibliography. Cocude-Michel (1963a).

Sapheosaurus thiollierei Meyer, 1850

Age. Latest Kimmeridgian, Late Jurassic (Bernier *et al.* 1984).

Horizon/Locality. Calcaire Lithographique—Cerin, Ain, France (Cocude-Michel 1963a).

Holotype. MNHNL 15672

Observed referred materials. MNHNL 15649, MNHNL 15645, MNHNL 15673.

Main bibliography. Hoffstetter (1955a); Cocude-Michel (1963a).

Remarks. Phylogenetic scoring for this taxon was based on high-resolution pictures (provided by S. Apesteguía) and Cocude-Michel (1963a).

Oenosaurus muehlheimensis Rauhut et al., 2012

Age. Early Tithonian, Late Jurassic (Rauhut *et al.* 2012).

Horizon/Locality. Mörnsheim Formation—Krautworst Naturstein quarry in Mühlheim near Mörnsheim, central Bavaria, Germany (Rauhut *et al.* 2012).

Holotype. BSPG 2009 I 23.

Main bibliography. Rauhut *et al.* (2012).

Piocormus laticeps Wagner, 1852

Age. Latest Kimmeridgian-Early Tithonian, Late Jurassic (Fabre *et al.* 1982; Schwarz-Wings *et al.* 2011).

Horizon/Locality. Tithonian lithographic limestone—Kelheim, Germany (Wagner 1852); Calcaires Blancs—Quarry situated near Aiguines village, Canjuers, Var, France (Fabre *et al.* 1982).

Holotype. Two plates forming part and counterpart described by Wagner (1852), now lost (Cocude-Michel 1963a).

Observed referred materials. MNHN CNJ 68.

Main bibliography. Wagner (1852), Hoffstetter (1955a); Cocude-Michel (1963a); Fabre *et al.* (1982).

Derasmosaurus pietraroiiae Barbera & Macuglia, 1988

Age. Albian, Early Cretaceous (Cau *et al.* 2014).

Horizon/Locality. Pietraroiia Plattenkalk—Le Cavere Quarry, Pietraroiia, Benevento Province, Italy (Barbera & Macuglia 1988; Cau *et al.* 2014)

Holotype. MPN 541

Main bibliography. Barbera & Macuglia (1988); Cau *et al.* (2014).

Remarks. Phylogenetic scoring for this taxon was based on high-resolution pictures (provided by I. Paparella).

Palaeopleurosaurus posidoniae Carroll, 1985b

Age. Toarcian, Early Jurassic (Carroll 1985b).

Horizon/Locality. Posidonienschiefer, Schwarzjura, Lias Epsilon II1and2—P. Kirchmann Quarry, in Staatswald Ohmden, near Holzmaden, Germany (Carroll 1985b)

Holotype. SMN 50722 (observed)

Paratype. SMN 50721 (observed)

Observed referred materials. SMN 81774.

Main bibliography. Carroll (1985b); Carroll & Wild (1994); Dupret (2004); Jones (2008); Evans & Jones (2010).

Pleurosauros goldfussi Meyer, 1831

Age. Latest Kimmeridgian-early Tithonian, Late Jurassic (Cocude-Michel 1963a; Dupret 2004; Schweigert 2007).

Horizon/Locality. Solnhofen Plattenkalk—Solnhofen, Eichstätt, Monheim, Sappendorf, Dailing and Wintershof, Bavaria, Germany; Calcaires Blancs—Quarry situated near Aiguines village, Canjuers, Var, France; Calcaire Lithographique—Cerin, Ain, France. (Cocude-Michel 1963a; Reynoso 1996a; Dupret 2004).

Holotype. BSPG 1925 I 18 (observed)

Observed referred materials. BSPG 1978 I 7, MNHN 1983-4-CNJ 80.

Main bibliography. Meyer (1831); Münster (1839); Fitzinger (1843); Wagner (1860); Zittel (1887); Watson (1914); Broili (1926); Huene (1952); Hoffstetter (1955a); Cocude-Michel (1963a); Cocude-Michel (1967); Kuhn (1969); Carroll (1985a); Carroll (1985b); Carroll & Wild (1994); Dupret (2004); Jones (2008); Evans & Jones (2010).

Remarks. Specimen BSPG 1978 I 7 labeled as *P. ginsburgi* is assigned here to *P. goldfussi* based on the skull morphology. The specimen has a fused and relatively elongate postorbitofrontal, followed by an anteroposteriorly short squamosal. This condition is also seen in *P. goldfussi* (BSPG 1925 I 18) and differs from *P. ginsburgi* (BSPG 1977 XIX 40), which has separate postorbital and posfrontals, as well as a comparatively longer squamosal.

Pleurosauros ginsburgi Fabre, 1974

Age. Lower Tithonian, Late Jurassic (Dupret 2004).

Horizon/Locality. Calcaires Blancs—Quarry situated near Aiguines village, Canjuers, Var, France (Fabre 1974; Dupret 2004).

Holotype. MNHN 1983-4-CNJ 67 (observed).

Observed referred materials. BSPG 1977 XIX 40.

Main bibliography. Fabre (1974); Fabre (1981); Fabre *et al.* (1982); Carroll (1985a); Dupret (2004); Evans & Jones (2010).

Kallimodon pulchellus Zittel, 1887

Age. Latest Kimmeridgian-early Tithonian, Late Jurassic (Schweigert 2007).

Horizon/Locality. Solnhofen Plattenkalk—Kelheim and Kupferberg, Bavaria, Germany [specimen identification labels and Cocude-Michel (1963a)].

Holotype. BSPG 1887 VI 1 (observed).

Observed referred materials. MB.R. 1008.1 (previously Berlin Rhy 2), MB.R. 1009.1-2 (previously Berlin Rhy 3), BSPG 1887 VI 2, BSPG 1922 I 15.

Main bibliography. Zittel (1887); Broili (1925); Cocude-Michel (1959); Cocude-Michel (1963a); Kuhn (1969); Fabre *et al.* (1982); Fraser & Benton (1989).

Remarks. As with *Homeosaurus*, the genus *Kallimodon* also needs revision as numerous specimens attributed to *K. pulchellus* display significant differences to the holotype, mostly based on the postcranium morphology. Additionally, specimens labeled as belonging to other taxa

show no significant differences to the holotype of *K. pulchellus*. Only studied specimens that show no observable differences to the holotype are included herein as *K. pulchellus*, but a revision and re-characterization of the genus might reveal additional specimens of *K. pulchellus* that were not studied herein. The localities provided herein are the ones where the specimens referred above come from.

Leptosaurus neptunius Goldfuss, 1831

Age. Early Tithonian, Late Jurassic (Dupret 2004).

Horizon/Locality. Calcaires Blancs—Canjuers, Var, France (Cocude-Michel 1963a).

Holotype. “1305 of the collection in Bonn, Germany” (Cocude-Michel 1963a).

Observed referred materials. MNHN CNJ 72.

Remarks. This specimen has numerous similarities with the studied specimens of *Kallimodon pulchellus*. However, one notable difference is the presence of dorsolaterally oriented zygosphenes, observable throughout the dorsal series in this specimen, but absent in all studied specimens of *Kallimodon pulchellus*.

Opisthias rarus Gilmore, 1909

Age. Kimmeridgian, Late Jurassic (Ikejiri 2005).

Horizon/Locality. Lower-middle Upper Morrison Formation—Quarry 9, Como Bluff, Albany County, Wyoming, USA (Gilmore 1909).

Holotype. NMNH 2860

Paratype. NMNH 2858

Observed referred materials. AMNH 14555.

Main bibliography. Gilmore (1909), Simpson (1926)

Remarks. The holotype of *Opisthias* is based on a dentary element only. Thus far, other dentary fragments have been found and associated to this genus, but only two maxillae have been referred to it: AMNH 14551 and YPM 13765. The latter has been described by Simpson (1926) along with new dentary elements. However, it is not mentioned by Simpson whether YPM 13765 was found in articulation or closely associated to the dentary elements. As the maxillary dentition in such taxa is commonly distinct from the dentary dentition, it is not possible to determine with clarity whether this maxilla actually belongs to *Opisthias*. The second maxilla referred to *Opisthias* (AMNH 14551) was found by one of us (TRS) in the AMNH collections. However, we could find no data indicating its potential association with dentary elements. Additionally, it possesses a quite distinct dental anatomy from the other referred maxilla (YPM 13765), possessing hatchling teeth and an alternate tooth series. Therefore, given the lack of clear data concerning those elements and their association with the diagnostic components of the genus (dentaries) and their conflicting anatomies, here we do not score data from the maxilla for this species.

Sphenotitan leyesi Martinez et al., 2013

Age. Norian, Late Triassic (Martínez *et al.* 2013).

Horizon/Locality. Upper layers of the Quebrada del Barro Formation, Marayes–El Carrizal Basin—‘Balde de Leyes’ fossil locality, San Juan Province, Argentina (Martínez *et al.* 2013).

Holotype. PVSJ 886

Main bibliography. Martínez *et al.* (2013).

Remarks: Taxon scorings based on Martínez *et al.* (2013).

Eilenodon robustus Rasmussen & Callison, 1981

Age. Kimmeridgian, Late Jurassic (Kowallis *et al.* 1998; Trujillo & Kowallis 2015).

Horizon/Locality. Salt Wash Member, Morrison Formation—Fruita Paleontological Area, Mesa County, Colorado, USA (Rasmussen & Callison 1981).

Holotype. LACM 120462.

Remarks: Taxon scorings based on Rasmussen & Callison (1981).

Toxolophosaurus cloudi Olson, 1960

Age. Aptian-earliest Albian (Decelles 1986; Condon 2000).

Horizon/Locality. Kootenai Formation—Silver Bow County, Southwestern Montana, USA (Olson 1960).

Holotype. FMNH UR619

Main bibliography. Olson (1960); Throckmorton *et al.* (1981).

Remarks: Taxon scorings based on Olson (1960); Throckmorton *et al.* (1981).

Priosphenodon avelasi Apesteguía & Novas, 2003.

Age. Cenomanian-Turonian, Late Cretaceous (Apesteguía & Novas 2003).

Horizon/Locality. Candeleros Formation, Neuquén Group—La Buitreta Quarry, Río Negro Province, Argentina (Leanza & Hugo 2001; Apesteguía & Novas 2003).

Holotype. MPCA 300 (observed).

Observed referred materials. MPCA 275, MPCA 293, MPCA 303, MPCA 304, MPCA 305, MPCA 316, MPCA 374.

Main bibliography. Apesteguía & Novas (2003); Simón & Kellner (2003); Jones (2008); Evans & Jones (2010); Apesteguía & Carballido (2014).

Remarks. *P. avelasi* and *Kaikaiifilusaurus calvoi* are synonym taxa considering the published accounts on both taxa. Although *K. calvoi* has priority due to an earlier publication, this taxon has been considered as a nomen dubium by Apesteguía & Carballido (2014). For an account in the taxonomic dispute between *Kaikaiifilusaurus calvoi* and *Priosphenodon avelasi*, see Apesteguía & Carballido (2014).

Cynosphendon huizachalensis Reynoso, 1996

Age. Pliensbachian, Early Jurassic (Fastovsky *et al.* 2005; Reynoso & Cruz 2014b).

Horizon/Locality. Lower part of La Boca Formation—Huizachal Canyon, Municipio de Ciudad Victoria, Tamaulipas, Mexico (Reynoso 1996b).

Holotype. IGM 6652 (observed).

Observed referred materials. IGM 6653-IGM 6660.

Main bibliography. Reynoso (1996b); Reynoso (2003).

Kawasphenodon Apesteguía, 2005

Age. Campanian-early Maastrichtian (Late Cretaceous) to early Palaeocene (Apesteguía 2005; Apesteguía *et al.* 2014).

Horizon/Locality. Los Alamos Formation (Late Cretaceous)— Río Negro Province, Argentina; Upper part of the Hansen Member of the Salamanca Formation (Palaeocene)—Punta Peligro locality, nearly 27 km north of Comodoro Rivadavia, Chubut province, Argentina (Apesteguía 2005; Apesteguía *et al.* 2014).

Holotype. IGM 7441

Main bibliography. Apesteguía (2005); Apesteguía *et al.* (2014).

Remarks. To reduce the total amount of missing data, we scored the two available species of this genus (*K. expectatus* and *K. peligrensis*) as a single taxonomic operational unit. Scores for this taxon were based on Apesteguía (2005); Apesteguía *et al.* (2014).

Ankylosphenodon pachyostosus Reynoso, 2000

Age. Albian (Early Cretaceous) (Reynoso 2000).

Horizon/Locality. Middle member, Tlayua Formation—Colonia Morelos, Tepexi de Rodríguez, Puebla, Mexico (Reynoso 1997; Reynoso 2000).

Holotype. IGM 7441 (observed).

Observed referred materials. IGM 7442, IGM 7443, IGM 7445, IGM 7446, IGM 7447.

Main bibliography. (Reynoso 2000)

Extant taxa

Sphenodon punctatus: MCZ R4702, FMNH 11113, FMNH 197942, FMNH 207433.

Institutional abbreviations:

AMNH – American Museum of Natural History, New York-NY, USA.

AUP – University of Aberdeen Paleontology collection

BSPG - Bayerische Staatssammlung für Paläontologie und historische Geologie, Munich, Germany

BU – University of Bristol, Bristol, UK.

FMNH – Field Museum of Natural History, Chicago, IL, USA.

IGM - Instituto de Geología, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México

IVPP – Institute of Vertebrate Paleontology and Paleoanthropology, Beijing, China.

LACM : Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County, Los Angeles, California, USA.

MB – Museum für Naturkunde, Berlin, Germany

MCZ – Museum of Comparative Zoology, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, USA.
MGM - McGregor Museum – Kimberely, South Africa
MNHN – Muséum National d'Histoire Naturelle, Paris, France.
MNHNL: Museum National de Histoire Naturelle, Lyon.
MPN: Museo Paleontologico, Università di Napoli, Napoli, Italy.
NHMUK – Natural History Museum, London, UK.
NMNH – National Museum of Natural History, Washington, D.C., USA.
NMS – National Museum of Scotland, Edinburgh, United Kingdom
PMU – Paleontological Museum, Uppsala.
PVSJ: Museo de Ciencias Naturales, Universidad Nacional de San Juan, San Juan, Argentina
PZ – Museo Archeologico dell'Alto Adige, Bolzano (Bozen), Italy.
SAM – South Africa Museum (Iziko Museums), Cape Town, South Africa.
SMNS – Staatliches Museum für Naturkunde, Stuttgart, Germany.
UMZC – Cambridge University Museum of Zoology, Cambridge, UK.
ZPAL - Institute of Paleobiology Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw, Poland

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